R7 Senior Staff | Division/Office Priority Tracker

^{*}Items highlighted in grey signify additions/updates to this document

PRIORITY PROJECTS	Status	Progress to Date	Upcoming Milestones	Related Regional Risk
LCRD Resource Utilization	⊠On Track □ At Risk □ Delayed	 Updated all Reorg documents in response to SSC review and submitted to R7 on 9/30. 	• Leadership Retreat (Virtual) – Nov 3 & 4	• None
ELMs Deployment	☑On Track ☐At Risk ☐Delayed	•	Finalizing divisional metrics for FY21 Performance Board.	• None
Recycling and Food Recovery	□On Track □At Risk ☑Delayed	•	 America Recycles Day – R7 is leading the planning of the Territorial and Tribal Panel Event 	• None
Land Revitalization - Opportunity Zone Community Outreach	⊠On Track □ At Risk □ Delayed	The 2021 Brownfields grant competition application deadline is October 28, 2020. Due to financial considerations and resource constraints of local governments due to CoVID-19 we expect fewer R7 applications.	 Strategy for 2021 has been drafted. There is a briefing scheduled for November 4. 	• None
Tanks Programmatic Initiatives Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)	□On Track □Delayed	 KS new regulations became effective on July 6th NE Re-SPA package is on track and expected to be finalized to meet the August timeframe 	•	Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)
State Program Re-Approvals Ex.	Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)	Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)		

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Regional Pb Initiatives	⊠On Track □ At Risk □ Delayed	•	 Continuing geographical initiative work in Springfield Pb Roundtable – October 29 	Meeting Lead Priority Goals
Pesticides Recert for C&T -	⊠On Track □ At Risk □ Delayed	MO - Team is still in the process of reviewing the submitted plan. MDA provided draft text for necessary changes to state laws and regulations but has indicated they will likely be revising some sections as they continue to engage with stakeholders.	Program working with HQ on initiating a more thorough substantive review of draft C&T plans. Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)	• None

Grant Funding	⊠ On Track		•	Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP) RCRA STAG – The FY-20 RCRA STAG	• None
Management	□Delayed			carryover balance is in excess of \$700K. These funds could be reallocated to lowa, Kansas and Missouri.	
UPCOMING ITEMS		ELMS FINDINGS	OTHER	RITEMS	REGIONAL RISKS
(projects, grants, event			for RA	/DRA awareness	
November 3 & 4 – Virtu Leadership Retreat	iai LCRD	 Improvement on turnaround time for TBAs 		Bannister Transformation and	•
November 10 – Lincoln	, NE Food	unite for TDAS		Development (BTD) has scheduled a	
Summit				groundbreaking ceremony for	
November 15 – America Recycles				October 22nd at the former	
Day				Bannister Federal Center site. Some	
November 17 – Announcement of SMM Goals				officials will participate remotely	
November 17 – Lincoln, NE Food Summit			•	LCRD conferred with OPP on AltEn and the issues of potential	

environmental concern with land application of wet cake produced from processing of waste seed corn to produce ethanol due to significant levels of several pesticides. OPP plans to memorialize issues of potential concern in a written document to R7 and NDEE. • Dicamba – We have received reports on late Dicamba applications in Nebraska, Missouri, and Kansas. States are following up on these.
Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)
Mailing P2 and SMM awards in the next couple of weeks to recipients since we will not see them in person.